Quit playing games with control of the 'PUBLIC AIRWAVES". As government officials, your job is to protect the public right to information, not allow the media to play politics with free airtime for some and the "right to purchase" airtime for others, as is the case with Pappas.

So far the ATF has not protected me from assault rifles, the FDA has not protected me from tobacco, the CIA & FBI have not protected me from terrorist assaults, the SEC has not protected me from Ken Lay and the ENRON scandal, the EPA has not protected me from LOVE CANAL, and now you want to tell me the FCC will provide protection of the public airwaves; prove it -

PUT YOUR POLICIES WHERE YOUR PROMISE IS! (and then enforce them)

As wise folks know, 'the proof is in the pudding, not the recipe'.